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## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of:       |                        | ) |                      |
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|                             |                        | : | Examiner: D. Nguyen  |
| WATARU SATO, et al.         |                        | ) |                      |
|                             | <i>,</i>               | : | Group Art Unit: 2828 |
| Application No.: 10/003,099 |                        | ) |                      |
|                             |                        | : |                      |
| Filed: December 6, 2001     |                        | ) |                      |
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| For:                        | LASER DEVICE AND LENS  | ) |                      |
|                             | POSITION ADJUSTMENT    | : |                      |
|                             | METHOD IN THE LASER    | ) |                      |
|                             | DEVICE                 | : | April 20, 2004       |
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 20, 2004 for two months, from February 20, 2004 to April 20, 2004.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$420.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

04/26/2004 MBERHE 00000064 10003099 01 FC:1252 420.00 OP I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

April 20, 2004 (Date of Deposit)

Michael K. O'Neill, Reg. No. 32,622

April 20, 2004
Signature

Date of Signature

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa,

California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to
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